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## **Governor to present bookmark awards**

Governor Dave Freudenthal will honor 12 Wyoming students at an awards ceremony on Friday, May 6. These students are the winners of Wyoming Agriculture in the Classroom's annual bookmark contest.

The event will begin at 1:30 p.m. in the Governor's office, where the winners will take pictures with the Governor. The group will then progress to the Herschler Building for the awards ceremony. Governor Freudenthal; Secretary of State, Joe Meyer; Wyoming Arts Council Arts Program Manager, Milward Simpson; and Wyoming Department of Agriculture Deputy Director, Jim Schwartz will speak at the ceremony. The awards will be presented by Wyoming Agriculture in the Classroom President, Keith Geis and members of the Wyoming Weed and Pest Council. A reception and tour of the State Capitol building will follow the ceremony.

This is the 11th year that this contest has been held. The goal of the contest is to give Wyoming students an opportunity to express their knowledge of and appreciation for agriculture. The top 12 winning bookmarks will be printed and distributed across Wyoming. For more information, please contact Wyoming Agriculture in the Classroom Education Coordinator, Sarka White at (307) 777-6618.